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Case No: 2:23-cv-00849-CDS-MDC

Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time

(Seventh Request)

Eric S. Cohan, Stephanie Syptak-Ramnath, Antony Blinken,

Defendants.

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The Federal Defendants respectfully move for an additional 30-day extension of time, from March 21, 2024, to April 22, 2024, to file a response to Plaintiff's Complaint (ECF No. 1). This is the seventh request for an extension of time. Undersigned defense counsel has inquired with Plaintiff's counsel, who agrees with this request. Indeed, Plaintiff's counsel would like additional time to consult with Plaintiff.

## MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b)(1) and Local Rule IA 6-1 allow a party to request additional time to perform an act. In this case, the Federal Defendants request additional time to file a response to the Complaint for the reasons set forth below.

Without admission or waiver by the parties, Federal Defendants inform the Court that reasons for some of the recent extensions related to agency action by the Department of State and some needed time for Plaintiff's counsel to confer with Plaintiff about such

action. More recently, there has been agency action by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), and Plaintiff's counsel needs additional time to confer with Plaintiff about such action. This motion is filed in good faith and not for the purposes of undue delay. Accordingly, Federal Defendants respectfully request, and Plaintiff's counsel consents to, this extension of time, from March 21, 2024, to April 22, 2024, to file a response to Plaintiff's Complaint. Respectfully submitted this 21st day of March 2024. JASON M. FRIERSON United States Attorney /s/ Patrick A. Rose PATRICK A. ROSE Assistant United States Attorney IT IS SO ORDERED Maximiliano D. Couvillier III UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE **DATED:** March 25, 2024